S&H Form: (10/03) Attorney Docket No. 392.1716 Application Number 09/871.642 REPLY/AMENDMENT Filing Date June 4, 2001 FEE TRANSMITTAL Tomonaga YAMAMOTO, et al. First Named Inventor 2834 **Group Art Unit** AMOUNT ENCLOSED 110.00 **Examiner Name** H. Elkassabgi FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03) Highest Number Number CLAIMS AS Claims Remaining AMENDED Previously Paid For Extra After Amendment Calculations Rate TOTAL CLAIMS X 18.00 = 0.00 15 20 = 0 INDEPENDENT X \$ 86.00 =0.00 6 = 0 6 CLAIMS 110.00 Since an Official Action set an original due date of May 17, 2004, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,480); 5 If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$330.00) If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00) Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00) Total of above Calculations = \$ 110.00 Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28) \$ 110.00 TOTAL FEES DUE = (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0". (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".

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(AS AMENDED)

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed February 17, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on May 17, 2004. A petition for a one month extension of time is enclosed herewith, thereby extending the response period to June 17, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. Applicants request entry of this Rule 116 Response because the amendments were not earlier presented because the Applicants believed in good faith that the cited prior art did not disclose the present invention as previously claimed.